Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 24 Mar 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 25 Mar 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 23 Mar 2022 at 16:45

Confidence: High for mainly dry, mild, settled conditions to the end of the week, with the main uncertainty cloud amounts. Low confidence on Monday.

Headline for Thursday 24 Mar 2022: Dry and bright but cloudy.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 24 Mar 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Dry but mostly cloudy. Some bright or perhaps sunny spells during the morning and early afternoon. Cloud thickening late afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 95%

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility around 15 to 20 km, with distant views obscured by haze. Cloud is expected to be above the summits throughout the day.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/19 SW	15/21 SW	13/17 SW	11/16 SW	8/11 SW	8/11 SW	7/9 SW	6/7 W	4/5 S
300	3/8 SW	4/10 SW	4/9 W	4/9 SW	6/9 SW	6/9 S	3/6 SW	4/6 W	3/5 S
Valley	2/7 SW	2/8 SW	3/7 W	2/7 SW	5/9 SW	5/9 S	2/5 S	3/5 W	2/4 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/6	7/3	7/4	8/5	9/8	10/8	8/7	7/6	7/6
300	7/6	7/6	7/5	10/9	12/11	12/11	10/9	8/7	7/6
Valley	7/6	6/5	6/5	10/10	13/12	13/12	11/10	8/7	7/6
<< Freezing Level*	1800m	1800m	1800m	1800m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1700m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Moderate UV levels will give a risk of sunburn around the middle of the day despite often cloudy conditions.

Forecast for Friday 25 Mar 2022

Weather: Cloudy but dry through the early hours and the morning. Sunny spells are likely to develop in the afternoon. Clear spells after dark, perhaps some mist or fog patches forming in the valleys overnight.

Maximum wind: Light and variable.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 50% in the morning, 80% in the afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility generally good or very good outside of any low cloud. Large uncertainty in cloud amounts, but bases likely to be occasionally down to 700m in the morning, but above the summits in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 Celsius rising to 14 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 5 Celsius rising to 9 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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